(ख) राज्यों से प्राप्त उन प्रस्तावों का ब्यौरा क्या है जिन्हें अनुमोदित नहीं किया गया है;

(ग) इस आबंटित राशि से निर्मित सड़कों का अद्यतन ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(घ) चालू वित्तीय वर्ष के दौरान इन राज्यों को दी जाने वाली निधि का ब्यौरा क्या है?

ग्रामीण क्षेत्र और रोजगार मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री बाबागौड़ा पाटील): (क) से (घ) जानकारी एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी।

Employment generation schemes for rural areas

289. SHRI YERRA NARAYANASWAMY: Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have conducted any study with regard to benefits to the people through rural areas and employment programmes during the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof, Statewise; and

(c) the details with regard to the scheme through which employment is generated?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BABAGOUDA PATIL): (a) and (b) The Ministry of Rural Areas & Employment has conducted the following studies with regard to Rural Areas Employment Programme during the last three years;

(i) Concurrent Evaluation of Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP) (5th round) from July, 1995. to June, 1996.

(ii) Employment Generation Programme in KBK district of Orissa (March, 1997 to June, 1997).

(iii) Impact Analysis of Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY) & Million Wells Scheme (MWS) (Feb. 1997 to August, 1997).

(iv) Impact Assessment of Wage Employment Programme in selected rural areas of India (Feb.'1998 to Sept. 1998).

Concurrent Evaluation in respect of India Awaas Yojana(IAY) and Million Wells Scheme(MWS) is currently in progress in all the districts of the country where these schemes are implemented. These studies cover beneficiaries also.

(c) Jawahar Rozgar Yojana (JRY), Employment Assurance Scheme (EAS), Million Wells Scheme (MWS), Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP), Development of Women and Children in Rural Areas (DWCRA), Training of Rural Youth for Self Employment (TRYSEM), Supply of Improved Tool Kits (SITRA) and Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY) are implemented in the rural areas of the country, which generate employment.

Wasteland Development Scheme in Gujarat

290. SMT. URMILABEN CHIMANBHAI PATEL: Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have introduced Investment Promotion Scheme in Gujart for development of wastelands belonging to individual farmers in the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) how many farmers have been covered/benefited so far under the scheme in the State, as on date, with district-wise details?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BABAGOUDA PATIL): (a) and (b) Originally this Central Sector Investment Promotional Scheme for development of non-forests wastelands (IPS) was launched during 1994-95 in all States including Gujarat; however, the same scheme has now been restructured to make it more broad based and with focus to benefit the small &

marginal farmers including Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes. The objective of the scheme is to mobilise resources from financial institutions, banks, corporate bodies including user industries and other entrepreneurs for development of wastelands belonging to Central and State Governments, panchayats, village communities, private farmers etc. Under the scheme, there is a provision for central promotional grant/subsidy to all categories of beneficiaries. For effective participation of the beneficiaries, promoters' contribution is also envisaged. The details of subsidy and the promoters' contributions are given in the statement. (*see* below)

(c) The revised guidelines restructuring the old scheme were issued and the revised scheme has become operational only in August 1998. So for, no project proposals have been received from Gujarat State.

Statement

Details of Central Promotional Grant/ Subsidy and Promoters' Contribution Under Investment Promotional Scheme(IPS)

(A) The details of subsidy

(i)	General Category (Individual/ Group)	25% of on-farm development activities or Rs. 25 lakhs, whichever is less.
(ii)	Small farmers (Individual/ Group)	30% of on-farm development activities or Rs. 25 lakhs, whichever is less.
(iii)	(a) Marginal farmers (Individual/ Group)	50% of on-farm development activities or Rs. 25 lakhs, whichever is less.
	(b) SC/ST Farmers without any limit in the area of holdings (Individual/Group)	Same as A(iii) (a) above.

(B) Details of subsidy

(i)	General Category (Individual/ Group)	At least 25% of the project cost.
(ii)	Small farmers (Individual/ Group)	At least 10% of the project cost.
(iii)	(a) Marginal Farmers (Individual/ Group)	Nil, however, at the time of execution of the project, the family labour should be involved to provide self-employment ensuring participation.
	(b) SC/ST Farmers without any limit in the area of holdings (Individual/ Group)	Same as B(iii) (a) above.

Construction of road between Rampur and Reotipur in U.P.

291. SHRI GANDHI AZAD: Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that construction work on the road between Rampur and Reotipur in Ghazipur district of U.P. is presently stopped;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and by when construction work would restart;

(c) whether Government propose to advise the State to complete the construction work expeditiously; if so, how and when; and

(d) whether this road is proposed to be extended upto Muhammadabad i.e. from Reotipur to Muhammadabad, by laying a bridge on the river Ganga, if so, the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BABAGOUDA PATIL): (a) and (b) No Sir. Construction